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208 South La Salle Street
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December 6, 1921.

The Curator's Office,
Metropolitan Museum,
New York City.

Gentlemen:

We have in our possession a
California fifty dollar gold slug of which we
attach a sketch.

Will you kindly tell us what
the value of this coin is and whether there
would be any market for it, and approximate
price if we should wish to dispose of it?
We would appreciate it very much if you would
be so kind as to give us any information in
regard to this coin.

Kindly address reply to the
attention of the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

D. B. Krause
Librarian.

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worth from 70⁰⁰ to 200.00

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Numismatic Society of America,
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New York City.

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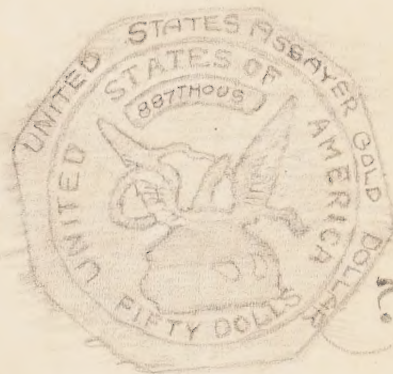
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L. D. Krause
Librarian.

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? not sure of lettering
(indistinct)

No lettering on back of Coin
only a crossed grained tooling.



? Not sure of lettering
(indistinct)

No lettering on back of coin
only a cross gained looking

THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM
OF ART

Office of the Secretary

December 8, 1921

Referred to the American Numismatic
Society by The Metropolitan Museum of Art.

H. M. Byllesby

December 13th, 1921

Mr. L. B. Krause, Librarian
H. M. Byllesby & Co.
208 South La Salle Street
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

Your letter to the Metropolitan Museum as well as your letter addressed to this Society are before me.

The California gold slug which you have is absolutely dependent on condition as regards price. It is worth anywhere from \$50 up. We do not quote prices on coins, nor could anyone do so without seeing the piece.

We are enclosing a list of dealers, and would advise you to communicate with any of them.

Very truly yours,

Curator

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